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Information on Soviet convoys to and from the Grolm forest. On two occasions the convoys included trailers, and two different types of box-bodied vehicles all of which are shown on a sketch within the report.

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Soviet Military Activity in the WUNSDORF - NEUHOF -
BARUTH Area. (July 1959)

1. Twice in every week during July 1959 a column of forty Soviet Army [redacted] trailers has driven through NEUHOF in the direction WUNSDORF - BARUTH at about 2200 hours, returning in the opposite direction at about 0500 hours on the following morning. Shortly before reaching BARUTH on the outward journey, the column has left Strasse 96, and driven in a southwesterly direction into the area of the GOLM forest.

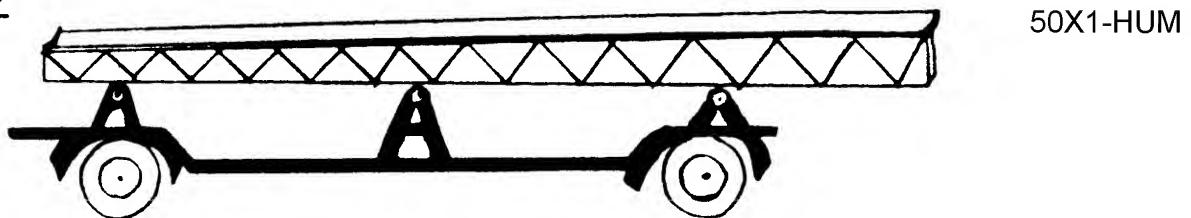
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2. On the two occasions during the last week in July, the column consisted entirely of diesel [redacted] with various types of superstructure, in some cases towing trailers [redacted]

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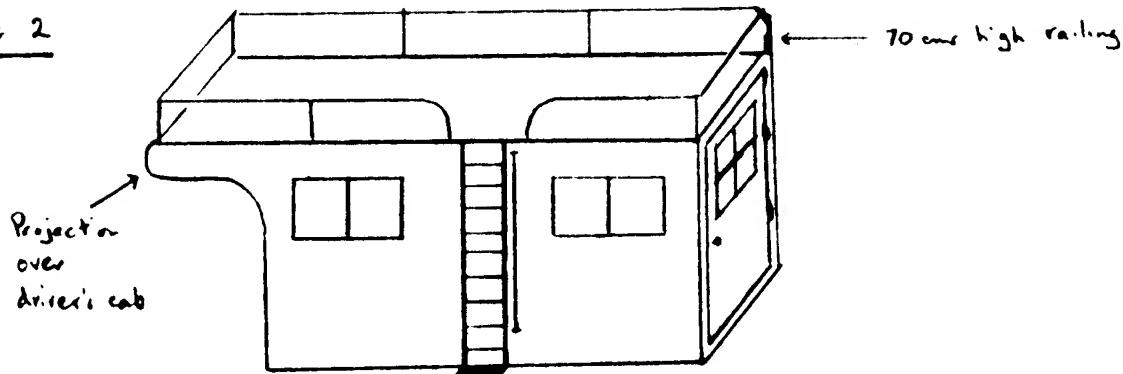
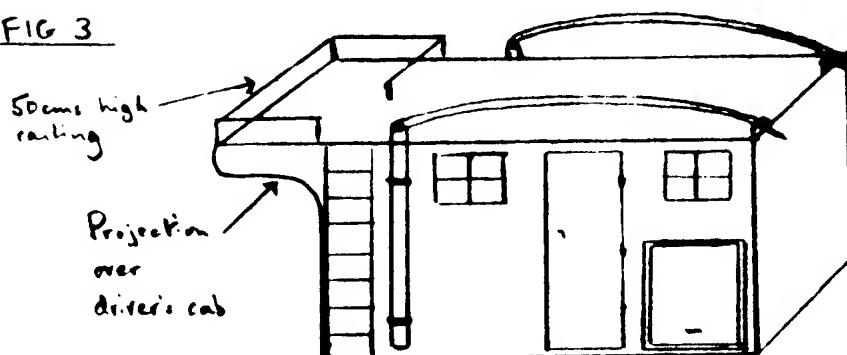
3. On each of these two occasions the column included:-

- (1) Eight trailers, see Appendix "A", figure 1, for sketch;
- (2) Three box-bodied vehicles similar to the sketch at Appendix "A", figure 2;
- (3) Six box-bodied vehicles similar to the sketch at Appendix "A", figure 3.

FIG 1

CHASSIS 12 m. long, 2 axle each with twin wheels, balloon tyres

SUPERSTRUCTURE 15 m long X 2.50 m. wide; a shallow trough on a lattice framework; height above ground - front 1.5 m.
rear 2.0 m

FIG 2FIG 3

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